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March 22, 2012

The Honorable Matt Schultz Secretary of State of Iowa State Capitol Building LOCAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

I hereby transmit:

Senate File 2285, an Act relating to statutory corrections which may adjust language to reflect current practices, insert earlier omissions, delete redundancies and inaccuracies, delete temporary language, resolve inconsistencies and conflicts, update ongoing provisions, or remove ambiguities, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.

The above Senate File is hereby approved this date.

Sincerely,

Terry E. Branstad

Governor

cc: Secretary of the Senate

Clerk of the House

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Senate File 2285

## AN ACT

RELATING TO STATUTORY CORRECTIONS WHICH MAY ADJUST LANGUAGE TO REFLECT CURRENT PRACTICES, INSERT EARLIER OMISSIONS, DELETE REDUNDANCIES AND INACCURACIES, DELETE TEMPORARY LANGUAGE, RESOLVE INCONSISTENCIES AND CONFLICTS, UPDATE ONGOING PROVISIONS, OR REMOVE AMBIGUITIES, AND INCLUDING EFFECTIVE DATE AND RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY PROVISIONS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

## DIVISION I

## STATUTORY CORRECTIONS

Section 1. Section 8.55, subsection 2, Code Supplement 2011, is amended to read as follows:

- 2. a. The maximum balance of the fund is the amount equal to two and one-half percent of the adjusted revenue estimate for the fiscal year. If the amount of moneys in the Iowa economic emergency fund is equal to the maximum balance, moneys in excess of this amount shall be distributed as follows:
- (1) a. The first sixty million dollars of the difference between the actual net revenue for the general fund of the state for the fiscal year and the adjusted revenue estimate for the fiscal year shall be transferred to the taxpayers trust fund.
- (2) <u>b.</u> The remainder of the excess, if any, shall be transferred to the general fund of the state.
- b. Notwithstanding paragraph "a", any moneys in excess of the maximum balance in the economic emergency fund after the distribution of the surplus in the general fund of the state at the conclusion of each fiscal year shall not be distributed as provided in paragraph "a" but shall be transferred to the senior living trust fund. The total amount appropriated, reverted,

or transferred, in the aggregate, under this paragraph, section 8.57, subsection 2, and any other law providing for an appropriation or reversion or transfer of an appropriation to the credit of the senior living trust fund, for all fiscal years beginning on or after July 1, 2004, shall not exceed the amount specified in section 8.57, subsection 2, paragraph "c".

- Sec. 2. Section 8.57, Code Supplement 2011, is amended to read as follows:
- 8.57 Annual appropriations reduction of GAAP deficit rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund.
- l. a. The "cash reserve goal percentage" for fiscal years beginning on or after July 1, 2004, is seven and one-half percent of the adjusted revenue estimate. For each fiscal year in which the appropriation of the surplus existing in the general fund of the state at the conclusion of the prior fiscal year pursuant to paragraph "b" was not sufficient for the cash reserve fund to reach the cash reserve goal percentage for the current fiscal year, there is appropriated from the general fund of the state an amount to be determined as follows:
- (1) If the balance of the cash reserve fund in the current fiscal year is not more than six and one-half percent of the adjusted revenue estimate for the current fiscal year, the amount of the appropriation under this lettered paragraph is one percent of the adjusted revenue estimate for the current fiscal year.
- (2) If the balance of the cash reserve fund in the current fiscal year is more than six and one-half percent but less than seven and one-half percent of the adjusted revenue estimate for that fiscal year, the amount of the appropriation under this lettered paragraph is the amount necessary for the cash reserve fund to reach seven and one-half percent of the adjusted revenue estimate for the current fiscal year.
- (3) The moneys appropriated under this lettered paragraph shall be credited in equal and proportionate amounts in each quarter of the current fiscal year.
- b. The surplus existing in the general fund of the state at the conclusion of the fiscal year is appropriated for distribution in the succeeding fiscal year as provided in subsections  $\frac{3}{2}$  and  $\frac{4}{3}$ . Moneys credited to the cash reserve fund from the appropriation made in this paragraph shall not exceed the amount necessary for the cash reserve fund to reach the cash reserve goal percentage for the succeeding fiscal